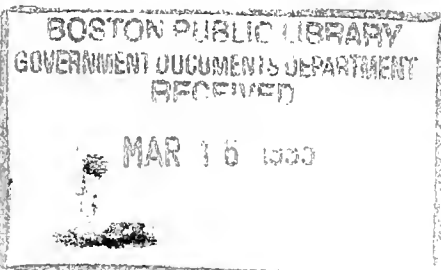


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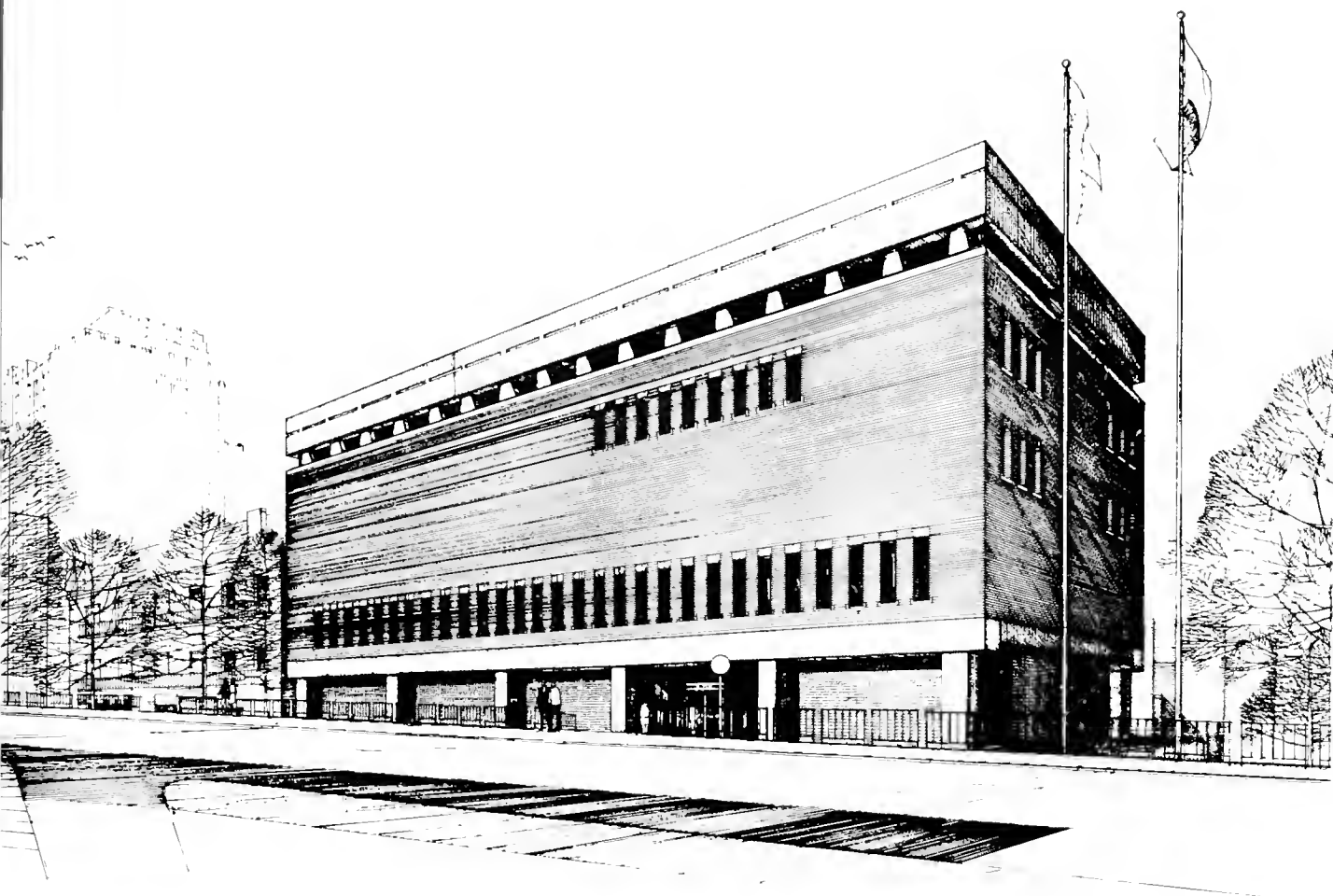
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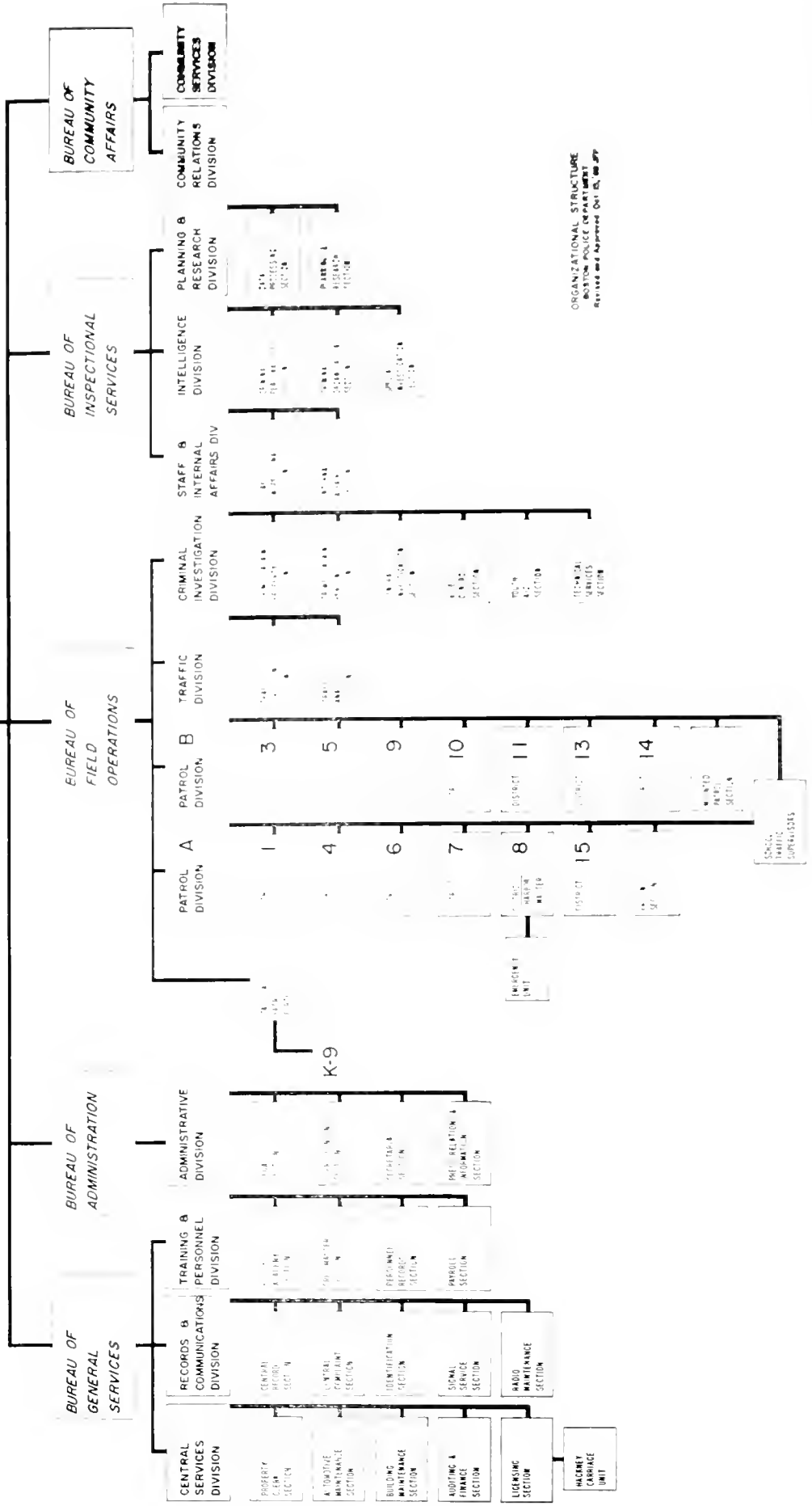
Boston's first new police building constructed since 1931, District One in the Government Center represents the ultimate in the department's physical facilities. Officially activated July 30, 1968, as one unit of a planned program of construction and consolidation, it houses the police and traffic services for the core area of Boston. This newly consolidated area was formerly serviced by three separate police districts. Centrally located in the city's new Government Center, the building symbolizes the spirit and the concept of the "New Boston."

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POLICE COMMISSIONER

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ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE
BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
Revised and Approved Oct. 15, 1977

THE DEPARTMENT

The Police Department is at present constituted as follows:

POLICE COMMISSIONER	1
POLICE MANAGEMENT ANALYST	1
CONFIDENTIAL SECRETARY	1
ASSISTANT SECRETARY	1
ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARIES	2

The Police Force

Superintendent-in-Chief	1	Sergeants and Sergeant-Detectives	303
Superintendents	5	First-, Second-, and Third-Grade Detectives	*202
Deputy Superintendents	15	Patrolmen	†1,974
Captains	34	Patrolwomen	3
Lieutenants and Lieutenant-Detectives	80	Total	2,617

*Includes 2 patrolwomen

†Includes 3 patrolmen in armed forces

Employees of the Department

Assistant Biological Chemist	1	Motor Equipment Repairmen	21
Clerks and Typists	22	Multilith Operator	1
Diesel and Gasoline Engine Operator	1	Multilith Operator and Cameraman	1
Director, Signal Service	1	Painter and Groundman	1
Director, Signal Service, Assistant	1	Principal Clerks and Typists	8
Electrical Equipment Repairman	1	Principal Statistical Machine Operator	1
Foreman, Signal Service	1	Property Clerk	1
Groundmen, Laborers (Police), and Motor Equipment Operators	3	Senior Building Custodians	2
Head Administrative Clerk	1	Senior Clerks and Typists	9
Head Clerks	15	Senior Statistical Machine Operators	3
Hearing Stenographers	5	Signalmen-Electricians	3
Hostlers	6	Statistical Machine Operators	6
Janitresses	7	Steam Firemen	3
Junior Building Custodians	55	Superintendent of Police Buildings	1
Linemen and Cable Splicers	6	Superintendent of Police Buildings, Assistant	1
Machinist	1	Telephone Operators	11
Matron, Chief	1	School Traffic Supervisors	180
Matrons, Police	10	Police Cadets	70
Motor Equipment Repair Foremen	2	Total	172

Distribution and Changes

During the year 180 patrolmen were appointed; 7 patrolmen were reinstated; 2 lieutenants, 2 sergeants, 2 second-grade detectives, and 17 patrolmen resigned; 1 superintendent was appointed superintendent-in-chief, 1 deputy superintendent appointed superintendent, 1 captain appointed superintendent, 1 captain appointed deputy superintendent, 1 lieutenant appointed deputy superintendent, 1 third-grade detective appointed deputy superintendent; 1 lieutenant promoted to captain, 16 sergeants to lieutenants, 33 patrolmen to sergeants; 2 lieutenants assigned as lieutenant-detectives, 9 patrolmen as third-grade detectives; 1 captain, 3 lieutenants, 7 sergeants, 1 first-grade detective, 1 second-grade detective, 17 patrolmen were retired on pension; 1 deputy superintendent, 3 sergeants, 1 first-grade detective, 1 second-grade detective, and 11 patrolmen died.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1968

EXPENDITURES

GROUP 1 PERSONAL SERVICES:		
10	Permanent employees	\$22,826.38 13
11	Temporary employees	235,517.90
12	Overtime	2,523,532.00
		\$25,585,516.33
GROUP 2 CONTRACTUAL SERVICES:		
21	Communications	\$98,821.75
22	Light, heat and power	30,982.44
26	Repairs and maintenance of buildings and structures	155,008.75
27	Repairs and servicing of equipment	126,830.46
28	Transportation of persons	31,827.28
29	Miscellaneous contractual services	102,811.58
		\$601,311.96
GROUP 3 SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS:		
30	Automotive	\$198,150.93
32	Food	11,041.40
33	Heating	31,776.70
34	Household	7,398.76
35	Medical, dental and hospital	348.44
36	Office	69,744.17
39	Miscellaneous	129,937.73
		\$745,670.83
GROUP 4 CURRENT CHARGES AND OBLIGATIONS:		
49	Miscellaneous	\$174,308.80
GROUP 5 EQUIPMENT:		
50	Automotive Equipment	\$187,849.02
56	Office Furniture and Equipment	12,385.07
59	Miscellaneous Equipment	183,342.93
		\$383,577.02
TOTAL		<u><u>\$27,190,386.94</u></u>

REVIEW OF 1968

The year 1968 saw many changes in and brought many challenges to the Boston Police Department. In the face of increasing demands for police services the Boston Police Department has sought to improve its operations by taking advantage of new developments in science and technology, by applying the techniques of modern management, and by adopting modern operational practices, procedures, and policies.

To further increase the operational efficiency and effectiveness of the department and to strengthen managerial control, the position of Superintendent-in-Chief was created, to which Superintendent William J. Taylor was appointed.

In keeping with the department's philosophy of the importance of its community service and community relations activities, the Bureau of Community Affairs was created, giving major organizational status and strength to this important area of responsibility.

The year 1968 was the first in which Boston police officers participated in collective bargaining with the city on wages, hours of work, and working conditions. After elections, in which separate organizations were certified to represent the patrolmen and superior officers, collective bargaining agreements with the city were negotiated and signed, and a continuing collective bargaining relationship was established.

The installation of a computerized data processing system has contributed to departmental efficiency by providing instantaneous-response information storage and retrieval capabilities and by providing the department with a powerful analytical tool to aid in the allocation of departmental resources so as to provide the optimum of service to the community.

Through a grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration of the United States Department of Justice, the Boston Police Department continued its major study of its records and communications systems and its progress toward the development of an integrated communications and information system.

The completion of the new Government Center Police Building, housing the facilities of District One and the Traffic Division, marked the acquisition of the first new police station in thirty-five years, and was the first step in a major capital improvements program to bring all police facilities up to modern standards through a wide variety of construction, modernization, alteration, and repair activities.

As part of the department's communications improvement program a new emergency reporting system was installed in the Downtown, North End, Beacon Hill, Waterfront, Government Center, and South End areas, making use of telephone call boxes connected directly to Headquarters and available to all citizens. Added flexibility and ability to respond was provided to the department's field operations through a significant increase in the department's supply and deployment of portable "walkie-talkie" communication equipment and the expansion of the department's regular and special radio systems.

Under a program sponsored by the Municipal Police-Science Institute twenty-five Boston police officers entered Boston State College to pursue courses leading to a bachelor's degree in metropolitan studies or social sciences, giving major impetus to the efforts to improve the educational level and competence of the department.

During 1968 the establishment of the Police Cadet Program provided the department both with a new recruitment resource and with a corps of talented young men who perform various administrative tasks throughout the department, freeing regular police officers for patrol operations. In addition, through the new Boston Police Explorer Post 1212 the department and an active and highly motivated group of the city's youth have received the mutual benefits of close cooperation and association in a widely varied program of introduction to the many facets of law enforcement.

As a member of the Greater Boston Police Council, an organization made up of the law enforcement agencies of the Boston metropolitan area, the Boston Police Department actively participated in regional planning programs, mutual aid activities, cooperative training efforts, and other cooperative projects of mutual interest.

The department, along with the other agencies of the Greater Boston Police Council, participated in the Municipal Police-Science Institute's Community Service Officer Program, and established an elite corps of specially trained sergeants and lieutenants who are assigned to full-time community service activities in each Police District.

The figures on the following pages of tables, while providing statistical information on the operation of the department, also indicate the trend toward increased criminality and illegal activity which has become characteristic of our complex and constantly changing society. The continuing analysis of operational statistics provides the department with a means to plan and allocate its resources so as best to provide the type and degree of law enforcement that the community demands and is willing to support.



Instantaneous response to inquiries from patrol and investigative officers is provided through inquiry terminals located in the Central Complaint Section connected to the department's computer system and to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Crime Information Center in Washington, D. C.



The control station of the new data processing center above serves as the focal point for the operations and control of the department's new computerized information system which is currently being implemented as part of a study toward the development of an integrated communication and information system.

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Members of Boston Police Explorer Post 1212 visit the Crime Laboratory and are familiarized with the criminalistic services provided by the laboratory.



The new emergency reporting system call boxes, now in operation throughout the Government Center, Downtown, North End, West End, Beacon Hill, Back Bay, and South End areas, provide direct telephone communication to personnel in the Central Complaint Section and Police Headquarters.



Through efforts of the Bureau of Community Affairs, citizens are made aware of the functions and policies of the department, and citizen viewpoints are brought to the administration of the department through meetings, seminars, and informal discussions.



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Officers participating in the Boston Police Baccalaureate Program proceed to classes at State College. During the first year of the program the participating officers compiled an impressive record, with more than half the group being cited on the President's and Dean's Lists.



The 1968 Cadet Class, the first to enter the department, poses for pictures on its graduation from the Police Academy. To become a cadet a young man must be between seventeen and twenty years of age, possess an interest in law enforcement, be of good moral character, and be able to pass the physical requirements for police service.

RECIPIENTS OF AWARDS



Mayor Kevin H. White presents the Walter Scott Medal for Valor, Department Medal of Honor, Thomas L. Sullivan Award, and the Boston Police Relief Association Memorial Award to Patrolman Walter A. Schroeder of District Fourteen for his extreme courage and resourcefulness in singlehandedly effecting the capture of three armed men, one with a machine gun, following a bank holdup.

DEPARTMENT MEDALS OF HONOR, THOMAS L. SULLIVAN AWARDS, AND BOSTON POLICE RELIEF ASSOCIATION MEMORIAL AWARDS WERE AWARDED AS FOLLOWS:



Mr. George Swartz, President of The Hundred Club, presents awards to Patrolman John J. Rizzotto for his courage and devotion to duty in pursuing and capturing a felon who had gravely wounded the officer.



Mr. Thomas G. Feenan, Director of Physical Education, H. P. Hood & Sons, presents awards to Patrolman William L. O'Brien, Jr. for his meritorious service and devotion to duty in effecting the rescue of several Spanish-speaking victims of a raging fire by catching them as they jumped from several stories height although he was off duty and handicapped by a language barrier.

RECIPIENTS OF AWARDS



Colonel John W. Baggs, Commander of Salvation Army, presents awards to Sgt. Carl A. Fetter and Patrolman Thomas A. Donahue for their distinguished police work in apprehending and disarming three holdup men who were holding their victims at bay during an armed robbery.



Commissioner of Public Safety Leo J. Laughlin presents awards to Patrolmen John J. Muligan and Ralph J. Luongo of the Tactical Police Force for their distinguished service in apprehending two subjects who robbed a restaurant, shot its proprietor, and attempted to shoot the police officers.



Special Agent-in-Charge James L. Handley of the Boston Office of the F.B.I. presents awards to Patrolman John J. Reilly, who, while on plainclothes assignment and after being fired upon, was able to bring down one of three armed holdup men who had robbed a Dorchester store.



Superintendent-in-Chief William J. Taylor presents awards to Patrolmen Patrick J. Maloney and Gilbert E. Griffiths for their skill and alertness in apprehending three armed culprits who had attempted to rob a taxi and were holding the driver at gunpoint.

BOSTON
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Roll of Honor

*TO THOSE MEMBERS WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE
PROTECTION OF THEIR FELLOW CITIZENS*

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EZEKIAL W. HODSON
ALFRED M. STURDIVANT
JOHN T. LYNCH
FREDERICK SCHLEHUBER
RICHARD J. GALLIVAN
ALBERT R. PETERSON
THOMAS J. NORTON
PATRICK J. CARR
JOHN J. EARLE
JOSEPH C. REISER
CHARLES E. DEININGER
ADOLPH F. BUTTERMAN
WILLIAM G. CLANCY
WARD M. BRAY
ANDREW B. CUNEO
DANIEL J. McSHANE
PETER P. OGINSKIS
JOSEPH E. GONYA
ALBERT MOTRONI
BENJAMIN ALEXANDER
FRANK J. COMEAU
HARRIS B. McINNES
HERBERT D. ALLEN
EDWARD Q. BUTTERS
JAMES J. TROY
FRANKLIN B. DREYER

FREDERICK W. BARTLETT
JOSEPH L. CAVAGNARO
WILLIAM L. ABBOTT
JOHN P. M. WOLFE
GEORGE J. HANLEY
JAMES T. MALLOY
JAMES BRICKLEY
DANIEL A. McCALLUM
JAMES D. HUGHES
JAMES B. ROCHE
LAURENCE V. SHERIDAN
WALTER BAXTER
EDWARD J. KELLEY
JOHN H. MANNING
THOMAS A. DAVIS
PAUL J. MURNANE
PATRICK C. GANNON
JAMES G. McCANN, JR.
STEPHEN P. HARRIGAN
FRANK B. CALLAHAN
WILLIAM F. HEALY
MICHAEL J. CROWLEY
JOHN J. GALLAGHER
JAMES B. O'LEARY
GEORGE J. HOLMES
CHARLES A. McNABB

STATISTICAL TABLES
OF THE
BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
FOR THE YEAR 1968

TABLE I Workload Population Square Miles Road Miles Police Districts For the Year Ending December 31, 1968

Police Districts	Part I Offenses	Part II Offenses	Part III Offenses	Custody Arrests	Population	Square Miles	Road Miles
District One North End Downtown	1,319	5,265	11,153	1,619	21,701	1.369	78.3
District Three Mattapan	2,111	4,216	16,943	1,375	67,971	1.303	100.0
District Four South End Back Bay	9,660	16,152	31,872	12,151	59,333	2.131	71.3
District Five Roslindale-West Roxbury Hyde Park Beadville	2,117	4,139	12,192	1,003	93,201	12.192	135.0
District Six South Boston	1,177	5,172	16,233	2,110	12,115	2.369	11.3
District Seven East Boston	1,300	2,560	7,651	1,009	39,592	2.371	39.1
District Nine Roxbury North Dorchester	1,634	9,031	21,513	3,271	55,591	2.375	72.6
District Ten Roxbury	2,961	5,959	17,501	1,370	10,943	1.971	65.0
District Eleven Dorchester	2,761	6,631	20,191	2,239	87,372	1.633	87.2
District Thirteen Jamaica Plain	1,560	2,730	3,935	926	38,651	1.233	61.1
District Fourteen Brighton Allston	2,175	2,751	11,171	1,157	58,515	1.115	66.3
District Fifteen Charlestown	571	1,612	5,023	319	17,539	1.323	22.6
Total	36,353	65,911	131,251	32,723	617,716	11.337	395.6
Headquarters				971			
Tactical Patrol Force				151			
Trailer				55			
FORMAL CUSTODY ARRESTS				31,203			

TABLE II Major Offenses (Not Arrests) Known to the Police and Reported to the F.B.I. Under Uniform Crime Reporting Procedure for the Year Ending December 31, 1968

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	Offenses Reported	Un-founded	Actual Offenses	Number of Offenses Cleared by Arrest		
				Total Offenses Cleared	By Arrests Of Persons Under 18	Not Cleared
1. Criminal homicide						
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	106	1	102	56	3	46
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	36	7	29	25	5	3
2. Forcible rape—total	193	2	191	100	22	94
(a) Rape by force	117	2	115	75	15	50
(b) Assault to rape—attempt	46		46	25	7	21
3. Robbery—total	2,471	11	2,460	663	151	1,492
(a) Armed—any weapon	1,184	6	1,178	353	53	325
(b) Strong arm—no weapon	987	5	982	315	96	667
4. Assault—total	1,239	23	1,216	1,612	270	2,571
(a) Gun	333	1	329	212	45	117
(b) Knife or cutting instrument	615	1	611	363	70	243
(c) Other dangerous weapon	500	1	499	351	79	148
(d) Hands, fists, feet—aggravated	21		21	17	1	7
(e) Other assaults—not aggravated	2,767	14	2,753	699	102	2,051
5. Burglary—total	6,905	10	6,865	1,673	555	5,187
(a) Forcible entry	5,933	29	5,951	1,112	431	4,512
(b) Unlawful entry—no force	786	3	773	465	15	613
(c) Attempted forcible entry	136	3	133	71	29	62
6. Larceny—(theft except auto theft)	9,421	76	9,345	2,319	311	7,026
(a) Over \$50 in value	5,923	34	5,339	1,173	337	4,711
(b) Under \$50 in value	3,498	42	3,456	1,144	174	2,315
7. Auto theft	17,357	1,140	16,217	1,331	2,391	11,336
GRAND TOTAL	40,123	1,303	39,125	10,369	1,711	23,255

TABLE III—Analysis of Property Connected With Offenses Shown Under Table II for the Year Ending December 31, 1968

TYPE OF PROPERTY	VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN IN BOSTON	
	Stolen	Recovered
Currency, notes, etc.	\$1,696,006.00	\$90,705.00
Jewelry and precious metals	779,321.00	7,397.00
Furs	95,772.00	1,500.00
Clothing	256,135.00	33,729.00
Locally stolen automobiles	3,073,302.00	6,763,000.00
Miscellaneous	3,033,535.00	212,211.00
TOTALS	\$13,990,121.00	\$7,117,012.00

TABLE IV Breakdown of Offenses Shown Under Table II and Value of Property Stolen by Type of Offense for the Year Ending December 31, 1968

CLASSIFICATION	Number of Actual Offenses	Value of Property Stolen
Robbery:		
(a) Highway (streets, alley, etc.)	1,310	\$225,277
(b) Commercial house (not <i>d, e, f</i>)	363	151,518
(c) Gas or service station	17	1,697
(d) Chain store	63	61,920
(e) Residence (anywhere on premises)	156	23,691
(f) Bank	50	201,971
(g) Miscellaneous	171	72,335
Total robbery	2,160	\$717,115
Burglary—breaking or entering		
(a) Residence (dwelling)		
(1) Night	1,112	\$170,801
(2) Day	2,720	955,985
(b) Nonresidence (store, office, etc.)		
(1) Night	2,761	1,773,121
(2) Day	239	30,172
Total burglary	6,865	\$3,229,682
Larceny—thrift (except auto theft)		
(a) \$50 and over	5,889	\$1,887,199
(b) \$5 to \$50	2,821	51,311
(c) Under \$5	632	682
Total larceny	9,345	\$1,939,195
Auto theft:		
(a) Joyriding	10,316	\$5,525,807
(b) All other	5,101	2,517,995
Total auto theft	16,217	\$8,073,802
GRAND TOTAL	31,587	\$13,990,121

**TABLE V Additional Analysis of Larceny and Auto Thefts for the Year Ending
December 31, 1968**

	Number of Actual Offenses	Value of Property Stolen
Nature of larcenies:		
(a) Pocket picking	252	822,643
(b) Purse snatching	876	36,906
(c) Shoplifting	518	28,270
(d) From autos (not accessories)	3,606	706,181
(e) Auto accessories	1,160	83,167
(f) Bicycles	272	12,786
(g) From buildings (not shoplifting)	1,198	125,521
(h) From any coin-operated machines not in a building	14	19
(i) All other	1,791	623,099
Total larcenies	9,345	\$1,939,195
Automobiles recovered:		
(a) Number stolen locally and recovered locally		11,535
(b) Number stolen locally and recovered outside		2,001
(c) Total locally stolen autos recovered		13,539
(d) Number stolen out of town, recovered locally		2,370

TABLE VII—Arrests for the Year Ending December 31, 1968

NATURE OF OFFENSE	On Warrants	Without Warrants	Summoned by the Court	Total
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	33	44	-	77
Negligent manslaughter	2	49	1	25
Rape	33	96	2	131
Robbery	116	542	7	665
Aggravated assault	288	688	16	992
Burglary—breaking and entering	153	921	37	1,111
Larceny—theft (except auto theft)	258	1,304	27	1,589
Auto theft	66	1,086	66	1,218
Other assaults	185	331	77	593
Arson	9	29	2	40
Forgery and counterfeiting	12	69	3	84
Frauds	88	45	6	139
Embezzlement	4	2	-	6
Stolen property: buying, receiving, etc.	74	415	40	529
Vandalism	48	121	31	203
Weapons: carrying, possessing, etc.	26	293	5	324
Prostitution and commercialized vice	36	950	2	988
Sex offenses (except rape and prostitution)	47	122	5	174
Narcotic drug laws	169	757	1	1,227
Gambling	110	161	1	275
Offenses against family and children	115	33	19	197
Driving while intoxicated	11	304	3	321
Liquor laws	15	56	11	85
Drunkenness	11	18,325	-	18,339
Disorderly conduct	7	212	7	226
Vagrancy	1	2	1	4
All other offenses	681	1,010	85	1,779
Parking violations	6	-	113,381	113,387
Traffic violations	122	117	9,621	10,193
Suspicion	-	120	-	120
Arrests for other departments	1,513	497	2	1,712
TOTALS	5,508	28,704	123,411	157,656

TABLE VIII Age and Sex of All Persons Arrested, Covering Both Pending and Completed Cases, But Excluding Traffic Arrests, for the Year Ending December 31, 1966

Nature of Offense	16 and Under		17-20		21-24		25-29		30-34		35-39		40-44		45-49		50 and Over		Race	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	White	All other
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	3		11		7		13		12		6		1		-		2		22	55
Manslaughter by negligence	2		1		4		-		1		-		-		-		1		12	13
Forcible rape	20		33		27		29		10		5		-		1		6		46	85
Robbery	121	4	177	9	13	27	167	42	39	-	13	1	19		-		-		287	378
Aggravated assault	102	11	183	42	170	21	176	27	39	1	70	12	30	9	29	7	40	1	389	603
Burglary—breaking and entering	110	-	275	7	144	10	110	1	53		13	2	24	1	9	1	11		627	487
Larceny— theft (except auto theft)	264	111	274	89	194	91	172	56	97	14	68	20	57	12	30	5	13	18	739	854
Auto theft	154	2	308	15	162	10	72	42	42	-	15	1	12		-		-		790	428
Other assaults	36	19	135	13	13	1	157	1	123	9	77	1	36	7	35	-	17	1	182	411
Assault	11		6		7		-		-		1		1		-		1		2	17
Forgery and counterfeiting	5	2	11	7	11	12	17	1	-		1		1		-		-		56	28
Frauds	1		-		11	-	23	-	2		16	1	3	3	-		-	1	37	52
Embezzlement			1		-		-		1		1		-		-		-		1	2
Stolen property	76	1	113	10	97	10	83	3	50	1	3		21	1	3		-	233	241	
Vandalism	56	1	50	1	25		49		13	1	-		3		-		-	132	74	
Weapons violations	17		67	1	79		52	1	50	-	19	1	16		16		4	170	148	
Prostitution and commercialized vice	12	11	1,091	0	60	157	1	123	17	0	-	-	1	7	6	3	-	1	140	648
Sex offenses	16		31	-	19	17	29	6	13	1	12	1	17		14	1	13	117	57	
Narcotic drug laws	53	1	1,061	23	290	46	117	42	47	11	35	6	1	-	16	7	10	923	303	
Gambling	1		12		19	-	17	1	19	1	29		27	1	29		59	1	130	139
Offenses against family and children			23	1	7		102		101	-	70	1	64	1	26		19	327	172	
Driving while intoxicated	1		21		60	1	73	1	3	-	36	7	36	-	26		31	216	105	
Liquor laws	12		29	-	1		-		6		-		1	-	17	1	1	70	15	
Drunkenness	109	21	379	12	1,900	33	1,507	93	1,661	111	1,330	143	2,027	179	1,955	100	5,295	2,111	4,430	4,493
Disorderly conduct	31		70	1	49	-	11	-	-		-		1		4		4	17	51	1
Vagrancy			1		-		1		-		-		-		-		-	-	-	-
Suspicion	1	31	36	7	23	-	30	-	6		10	-	-	-	2	1	2	5	67	67
All other offenses (except traffic and arrests for other departments)	115	272	340	49	219	41	117	11	3	1	51	1	4	1	29	6	450	1	1,200	573
Totals	2,208	5,123	6,956	513	3,924	730	3,411	331	2,503	229	2,477	226	2,481	226	2,245	445	5,631	261	22,579	9,494

TABLE IX—Ambulance Service by Police District for the Year Ending December 31, 1968

HOSPITAL	1	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	13	14	15	Totals
Beth Israel	24	181	249	10	6	24	—	62	137	19	17	86	7	382
Boston City Hospital	1,151	1,104	5,226	367	2,183	185	—	3,179	1,337	1,576	638	81	241	17,571
Boston Floating	1	7	1	3	61	5	—	10	6	16	—	—	2	120
Boston Lying-In	15	33	23	5	6	11	—	27	79	12	11	8	2	232
Boston Sanatorium	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	6	—	—	3	3	11
Boston State	171	118	255	70	113	16	—	135	37	95	36	27	71	1,221
Brighton Marine	13	—	1	3	11	9	—	—	3	—	2	1	2	48
Brookline Hospital	2	7	—	3	—	1	—	—	1	3	5	2	—	24
Carney	24	1,067	12	203	138	1	—	24	9	1,233	26	3	2	2,835
Chelsea Memorial	3	6	1	1	—	6	—	15	—	1	18	—	—	51
Children's	9	315	17	110	33	33	—	164	579	122	211	29	25	1,717
Deaconess	1	10	11	6	6	1	—	—	7	6	5	12	2	70
East Boston Relief	—	—	—	—	—	655	—	—	1	—	21	1	—	678
Faulkner	4	16	2	620	1	19	—	1	10	2	161	2	—	368
Glenside	6	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	3	2	1	1	—	17
Hahnemann	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Harley	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	3	1	—	—	13
Home	11	—	—	13	—	—	—	21	9	—	3	66	—	126
Joslin Clinic	1	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
Kennore	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	7
Lahey Clinic	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	6
Longwood	1	1	2	3	1	1	—	—	2	2	11	2	—	31
Malden Hospital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
Mass. Eye and Ear	13	5	11	5	3	1	—	3	1	6	2	1	36	178
Mass. General	2,567	95	393	13	176	290	—	96	59	117	10	13	749	1,613
Mass. Memorial	13	7	63	1	3	2	—	60	2	3	1	6	—	171
Mass. Mental Health	6	2	20	1	2	—	—	—	21	1	13	10	1	107
Mass. Osteopathic	—	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	9	3	10	—	—	36
Milton Hospital	—	1	1	7	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	11
Mt. Auburn Hospital	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	7
New England Baptist	—	1	2	1	—	1	—	—	1	1	5	—	—	15
New England Hospital	1	12	5	2	2	—	—	—	1	11	7	—	3	50
Northern Mortuary	55	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	9	—	—	60	23	118
Parker Hill	—	3	11	2	—	—	—	11	1	—	2	2	—	32
Peter Bent Brigham	13	97	113	69	15	3	—	63	361	38	291	24	2	1,635
Physicians' Offices	—	9	—	3	—	—	—	2	—	—	3	39	—	56
Police Station Houses	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	3
Pratt Diagnostic	10	1	3	3	3	—	—	3	—	11	—	2	—	11
Robert Brigham	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	6	—	—	11
Roslindale General	—	16	—	12	2	—	—	3	6	5	12	1	—	87
Shattuck	—	5	1	9	5	—	—	—	2	7	3	1	—	33
Soldiers Home	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	3
Somerville Hospital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	15
South End Clinic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
Southern Mortuary	1	1	1	22	—	—	—	62	25	20	—	—	—	138
St. Elizabeth's	1	2	16	31	3	—	—	3	15	5	11	1,568	1	1,662
St. Margaret's	3	16	2	19	21	1	—	5	6	16	1	5	2	133
Sullivan Square Medical	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	15	19
U. S. Naval Hospital	5	1	13	5	11	15	—	7	2	20	8	5	33	128
U. S. Veterans Hospital	35	59	62	72	31	6	—	27	32	61	63	36	19	558
Washington Hospital	1	3	1	2	1	—	—	—	2	—	6	3	1	20
Winthrop Community	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Women's Free Hospital	—	1	—	—	1	2	—	3	3	—	—	—	1	11
Service Refused	134	31	1	—	—	—	—	32	59	176	12	79	—	571
Other	31	57	—	25	93	6	—	6	11	12	16	68	22	107
TOTALS	1,355	3,603	6,621	1,954	2,957	1,371	—	1,090	3,197	3,675	1,758	2,327	1,301	37,515

TABLE X Miscellaneous Statistics

Parking violation citations	735,029
Moving violation citations	29,561
Missing persons	2,011
Missing persons located	1,953
Telephone calls received	1,319,320
Radio transmissions	2,575,110
Teletype messages	213,623
Warrants processed	12,603
Fingerprints processed	12,390
Number of licenses issued	27,117

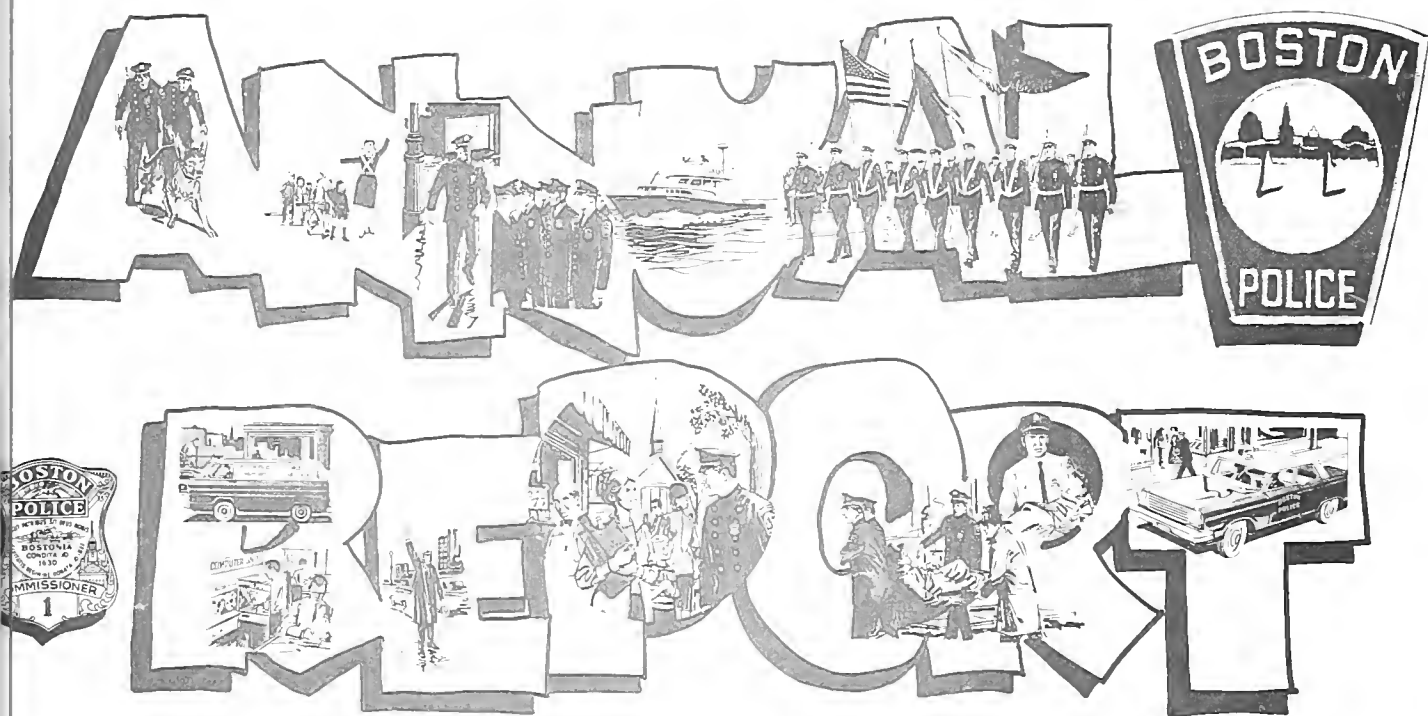
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Sixty-fourth Annual Report

OF THE
POLICE COMMISSIONER

FOR THE
CITY OF BOSTON

FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1969



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POLICE COMMISSIONER

CITY OF BOSTON
POLICE DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

January 1, 1970

HON. KEVIN H. WHITE,
Mayor of the City of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In compliance with the provisions of the Revised Ordinances of 1961, Chapter 3, Section 25, the annual report of the Boston Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1969, is herewith submitted.

In order to meet the new challenges and increasing demands that have been brought to the municipal law enforcement function and to municipal government in general, the Boston Police Department continued efforts to develop innovative programs, to take advantage of new advances in police science and technology, and to allocate its resources to best serve the citizens of Boston.

The year 1969 saw several changes in the administrative and command structure of the department designed to increase the supervision and control of field forces. Several new civilian positions were created in the department to free police officers for patrol duties. Expansion of our training programs and continued participation in the baccalaureate program and other educational programs have served to professionalize and better equip police officers to meet the challenges with which they are faced. The department's community affairs program have brought the department the benefit of close contact with all sectors of the community and with all age groups.



To take advantage of new innovations in communications and electronics technology, the department has embarked upon a multiyear program that will result in the Boston Police Department's communications system being among the best in the country and will enable the department to better serve the citizens of the city through reduced response-time to emergency calls and better supervision.

The most valuable resource of any police department, however, is its personnel, whose diligence, competence, and performance determine the department's ability to serve the public interest. The integrity, loyalty, and skill of the members of the Boston Police Department have earned the highest respect of the people of Boston, and I am pleased to commend the members of the department for their laudable performance and loyalty during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Edmund L. McNamara
Police Commissioner



KEVIN H. WHITE
MAYOR

CITY OF BOSTON
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
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the Members of the Boston Police Department.

Never in our national history has the role of large urban police departments been so vital, so difficult, or misunderstood.

Our society has, within the past decade, begun to confront serious problems which were previously ignored. This is in itself a healthy sign, but the tensions which this effort has generated have gravely increased the burdens on the police. Not only must you cope with a rising incidence of the traditional types of crime; social factors have led to a drastic rise in drug abuse, with all that this means in terms of increased police work; social tensions — racial, ideological, and generational — have all too often spilled over into the streets where you have had to deal with them. The work of a policeman — always dangerous and demanding — has been made even more sensitive by these events.

It will require our combined efforts this year, as in the past, to meet these challenges. On behalf of the people of the City of Boston I am pleased to express my gratitude to you for your willingness to carry this burden. The life of our city depends heavily on your dedication and courage.

Sincerely,

Kevin H. White

Mayor of Boston.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1969

EXPENDITURES

GROUP 1 PERSONAL SERVICES

10 Permanent employees	\$23,728 49 36	
11 Temporary employees	563 151 55	
12 Overtime	2,562 765 44	\$26,851,710 34

GROUP 2 CONTRACTUAL SERVICES

21 Communications	\$4,39,966 69	
22 Light, heat and power	100,700 59	
26 Repairs and maintenance of buildings and structures	75,678 88	
27 Repairs and servicing of equipment	110,347 75	
28 Transportation of persons	35,917 84	
29 Miscellaneous contractual services	63,441 60	560,023 35

GROUP 3 SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS

30 Automotive	\$233,151 87	
32 Food	42,149 43	
33 Heating	20,957 20	
34 Household	13,457 10	
35 Medical, dental and hospital		
36 Office	76,494 81	
37 Clothing allowance	52,700 00	
39 Miscellaneous	226,976 57	635,536 98

GROUP 4 CURRENT CHARGES AND OBLIGATIONS

49 Miscellaneous		221,148 67
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GROUP 5 EQUIPMENT

50 Automotive Equipment	\$144,621 50	
56 Office Furniture and Equipment	15,362 82	
59 Miscellaneous Equipment	50,535 67	177,522 99

TOTAL		\$28,419,292 33
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REVIEW OF 1969

During 1969 the Boston Police Department developed and inaugurated many innovative changes in procedures and methods in its physical plant and in its organizational framework.

In order to bring greater supervisory capability to the patrol operation, twelve additional marked cars were purchased and assigned specifically to the patrol supervisors on the district level.

To improve communication between field forces, the central dispatcher, and the district stations, and to increase the safety and efficiency of the men in the field, 105 additional portable transceivers were deployed throughout the department. Through the use of this equipment communications within the patrol force can be maintained at all times, making it possible to redirect officers from routine assignments to assignments of higher priority, and making it possible for the police officer to leave his car for periods of foot patrol and contact with citizens while still remaining in communication to respond to emergencies.

To release uniformed police officers for duty in the field, fifty civilian clerks were hired and placed in administrative positions and, in addition, the cadet program was expanded, increasing the number of young men serving in administrative-aide functions while learning about the department preparatory to becoming eligible for appointment as police officers. Fifteen civilian security guards were employed for duty in the City Prison to release other officers for street patrol duties. Patrol supervision was increased at the command and line levels through organizational changes, through the promotion of a large number of men to the rank of sergeant, and through their assignment to patrol supervisory duties.

Construction of a new station was started on Gibson Street in Dorchester, as was construction of a new facility in Roxbury at Washington Park. The year also saw major renovations begun on District Six in South Boston along with the refurbishing of the North Street police building to serve as a Police Academy for the department's expanded training program. A new location for the police communications maintenance shop was occupied to house the expanded service facilities necessitated by the modernization and expansion of the police communications system.

During 1969 the second phase of a major study of the records, communication, and information systems of the Police Department was completed. Further expansion of the department's computer facilities resulted in the making operational of an on-line stolen-car inquiry file on the computer.

Expansion of the Boston Police Explorer Post 1212 program to attract the youth of the city to form a better rapport with their police officers, the beginning of the "My Friend the Police Officer" program, and the establishment of the "Officer Friendly" program to familiarize the city's youth on a city-wide basis with the police in their formative years were among the many major activities of the Bureau of Community Affairs.

As part of its attack on organized crime the department established a new Organized Crime Section whose responsibility includes the coordination of investigative efforts toward the solution of organized-crime cases throughout the city. The year saw the continued participation of the department in many interagency organized-crime efforts, along with the federal, state, and other municipal law enforcement agencies.

The department's participation in the activities of the Greater Boston Police Council, along with the other police agencies of the Boston metropolitan area, has served to increase the cooperation between these agencies, to promote interagency and regional programs, and to provide for mutual aid.

The operational and statistical information presented in the charts and tables of the following pages are among those which measure the level of activity of the Boston Police Department, and which illustrate the expanding demands and increasing challenges with which the Boston Police Department is faced.

RECIPIENTS OF AWARDS



Mayor Kevin H. White presents the Walter Scott Medal for Valor and a Department Medal of Honor to Sergeant John L. Chalpin of District Nine for extreme courage and resourcefulness in disarming and arresting a felon who had perpetrated an armed robbery on Washington Street, Roslindale.



Superintendent-in-Chief William J. Taylor presents Department Medals of Honor to Patrolmen James Martin and Robert Susan of District Thirteen for their alert and prompt action in arresting a man who had committed an armed robbery and a fatal shooting on Heath Street in District Ten. Three other felons were arrested as a result of the same robbery and shooting.



Rabbi Herbert L. Simckes of Temple Hadrath Israel presents a Department Medal of Honor to Sergeant-Detective Matthew L. King and Detective Felix A. Abruzzi of District Ten for solving a vicious double murder of a drugstore owner and his nephew, although supplied only with very meagre information, and arresting the perpetrators.

BOSTON
POLICE DEPARTMENT
Roll of Honor

*TO THOSE MEMBERS WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE
PROTECTION OF THEIR FELLOW CITIZENS*

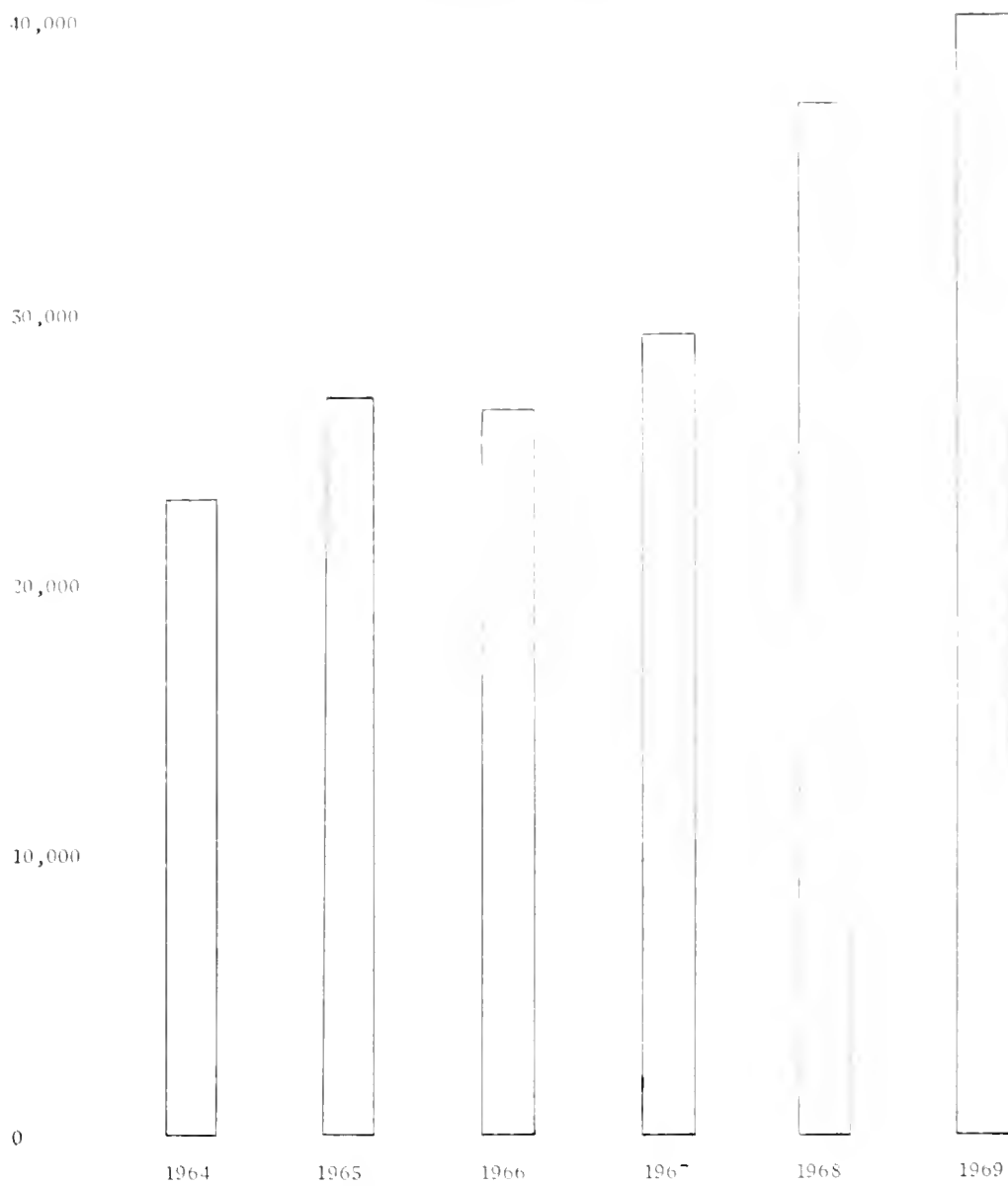
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STATISTICAL TABLES
OF THE
BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
FOR THE YEAR 1969

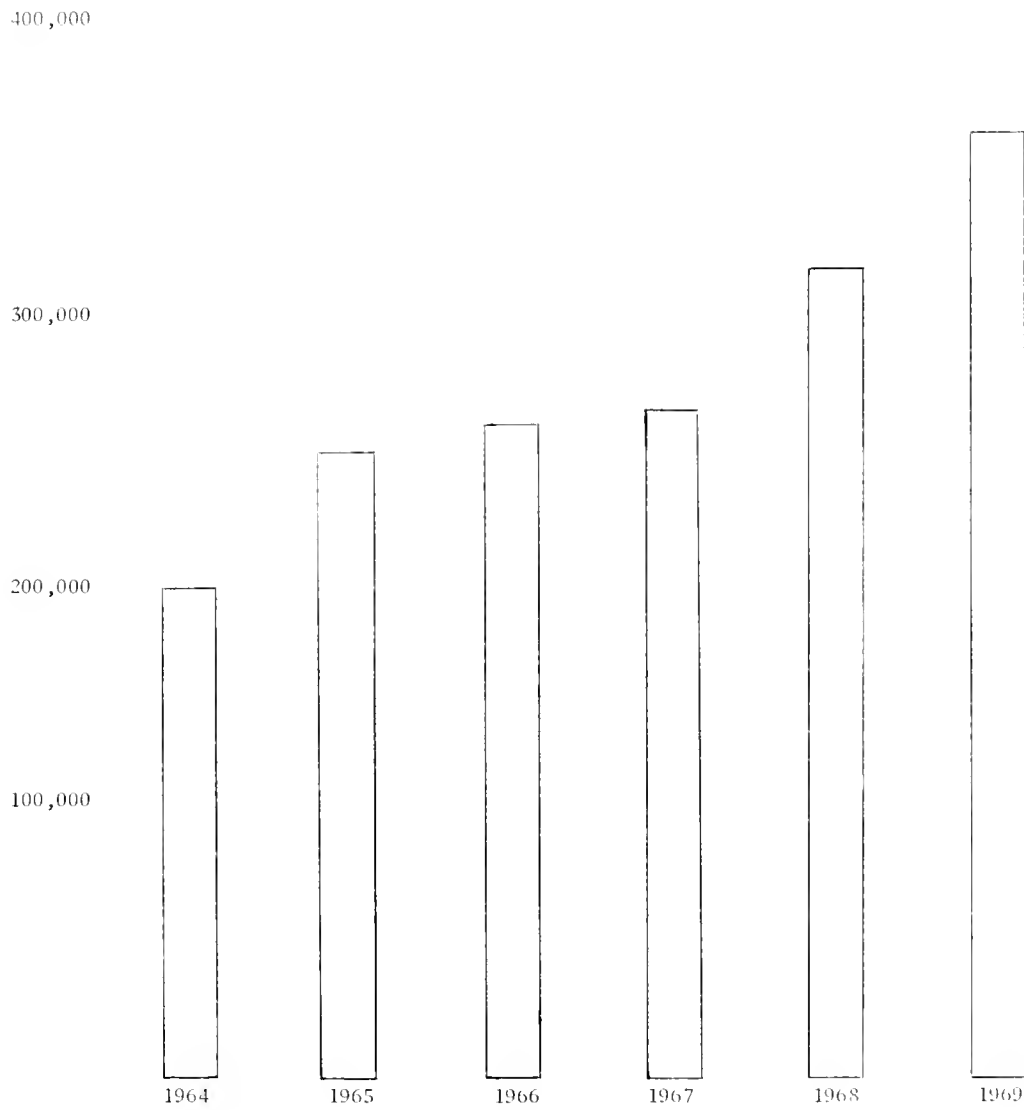
FIGURE 1. PARL LCPHES
1964-1969



77% Increase, 1964 to 1969

FIGURE 2. CALLS FOR POLICE SERVICE

1964 - 1969



67% Increase, 1964 to 1969

TABLE 4 Workload Population Square Miles Road Miles Police Districts For the Year Ending December 31, 1969

POLICE DISTRICTS	Part I Offenses	Part II Offenses	Part III Services	Custody Arrests	Population	Square Miles	Road Miles
District One North End-Downtown	5,322	6,543	20,197	5,702	21,791	1.369	
District Three Mattapan	2,775	4,350	23,210	4,496	67,971	1.303	1
District Four South End-Back Bay	9,960	13,496	32,162	12,961	50,331	2.431	
District Five Roslindale-West Roxbury Hyde Park-Bea Valle	2,230	3,043	16,990	4,337	96,263	12.192	1
District Six South Boston	1,546	1,511	20,737	2,439	42,115	2.369	
District Seven East Boston	1,171	2,370	10,135	1,930	39,792	2.371	
District Nine Roxbury-North Dorchester	1,313	7,313	25,770	3,163	55,591	2.375	
District Ten Roxbury	2,937	1,602	20,650	2,130	40,943	1.971	
District Eleven Dorchester	1,746	6,325	23,151	3,137	37,372	1.633	
District Thirteen Jamaica Plain	1,645	2,745	11,611	1,993	33,651	1.233	
District Fourteen Brighton-Allston	3,092	2,331	11,925	1,309	53,515	1.116	
District Fifteen Charlestown	532	1,361	6,922	833	17,539	1.323	
Total	39,921	60,567	241,316	37,110	617,716	11.337	

TABLE II—Major Offenses (Not Arrests) Known to the Police and Reported to the F.B.I. Under Uniform Crime Reporting Procedure for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	Offenses Reported	Un-founded	Actual Offenses	Number of Offenses Cleared by Arrest		
				Total Offenses Cleared	By Arrests of Persons Under 18	Not Cleared
1. Criminal homicide						
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	95	1	91	71	1	20
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	10	9	31	25	2	6
2. Forceful rape total	258	15	253	152	13	101
(a) Rape by force	211	13	201	122	12	77
(b) Assault to rape—attempt	51	2	52	30	6	21
3. Robbery total	3,005	21	2,984	908	262	2,076
(a) Armed—any weapon	1,365	13	1,352	377	67	975
(b) Strong arm—no weapon	1,640	8	1,642	531	195	1,101
4. Assault total	1,030	17	1,063	1,688	295	2,375
(a) Gun	333	2	331	220	22	111
(b) Cutting instrument or knife	657	5	652	376	60	276
(c) Other dangerous weapon	520	1	516	330	65	186
(d) Hands, fists, feet—aggravated	30	-	30	23	1	7
(e) Other assaults—not aggravated	2,510	6	2,531	739	111	1,795
5. Burglary total	9,062	60	9,002	1,907	613	7,095
(a) Forceful entry	7,815	17	7,768	1,597	563	6,171
(b) Unlawful entry—no force	1,088	9	1,079	201	19	878
(c) Attempted forceful entry	159	1	155	109	32	16
6. Larceny— theft (except auto theft)						
(a) Over \$50 in value	6,336	38	6,348	1,071	283	5,271
(b) Under \$50 in value	1,101	19	1,385	1,181	677	2,901
7. Auto theft	16,188	998	15,190	3,816	2,323	11,311
GRAND TOTAL	13,528	1,181	12,317	11,152	1,177	31,195

TABLE III—Analysis of Property Connected With Offenses Shown Under Table II for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

TYPE OF PROPERTY	VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN IN BOSTON	
	Stolen	Recovered
Currency, notes, etc.	\$1,080,656	829,137
Jewelry and precious metals	603,041	2,307
Furs	91,833	1,700
Clothing	322,331	21,028
Locally stolen automobiles	7,558,938	5,957,000
Miscellaneous	3,121,037	211,639
TOTALS	\$13,080,806	\$6,258,811

TABLE IV — Breakdown of Offenses Shown Under Table II and Value of Property Stolen by Type of Offense for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

CLASSIFICATION	Number of Actual Offenses	Value of Property Stolen
Robbery:		
(a) Highway (streets, alleys, etc.)	2,062	167,653
(b) Commercial house (not <i>d, e, f</i>)	333	179,063
(c) Gas or service station	62	5,958
(d) Chain store	51	11,555
(e) Residence (anywhere on premises)	203	35,701
(f) Bank	28	115,393
(g) Miscellaneous	222	60,777
Total — robbery	2,961	609,103
Burglary — breaking or entering:		
(a) Residence (dwelling)		
(1) — Night	1,630	511,151
(2) — Day	1,188	1,352,867
(b) Nonresidence (store, office, etc.)		
(1) — Night	2,925	1,018,113
(2) — Day	259	78,066
Total — burglary	9,002	2,993,535
Larceny — theft (except auto theft):		
(a) \$50 and over	6,318	1,852,638
(b) \$5 to \$50	3,552	65,156
(c) Under \$5	833	1,106
Total — larceny	10,733	1,918,900
Auto theft:		
(a) Joyriding	10,027	5,058,268
(b) All other	5,163	2,501,000
Total — auto theft	15,190	7,559,268
GRAND TOTAL	37,909	13,080,806

**TABLE V—Additional Analysis of Larceny and Auto Thefts for the Year Ending
December 31, 1969**

	Number of Actual Offenses	Value of Property Stolen
Nature of larcenies:		
(a) Pocket picking	335	19,121
(b) Purse snatching	1,298	19,203
(c) Shoplifting	721	11,010
(d) From autos (not accessories)	2,985	727,010
(e) Auto accessories	1,212	33,005
(f) Bicycles	358	13,196
(g) From buildings (not shoplifting)	1,739	516,230
(h) From any coin-operated machines not in a building	26	312
(i) All other	2,029	129,195
Total — larcenies	10,733	1,913,900
Automobiles recovered:		
(a) Number stolen locally and recovered locally	9,313	
(b) Number stolen locally and recovered outside	1,996	
(c) Total locally stolen autos recovered	11,339	
(d) Number stolen out of town recovered locally	2,279	

TABLE VI Number of Individuals Arrested Excluding Traffic Arrests Not the Number of Charges for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

PERSONS CHARGED BY POLICE				DISPOSITION				Out- line pend- ing else- where in jur- isd- ict- etc.
CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	Arrested Held for prosecu- tion	Sum- moned Notified or Cited	Total Persons Charged Columns 2 and 3	Adults Guilty		Acquitted or Otherwise Dismissed	Referred to Juvenile Court Juris- diction	
				of offense charged	of lesser offense			
PART I CLASSES								
1. Criminal homicide:								
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	33		33	24	2	11		
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	15	1	16	2	3	9	1	
2. Forcible rape	152	1	153	17	11	11	15	
3. Robbery	630	9	639	123	32	100	166	
4. Aggravated assault (Return B 1 and 2)	903	12	915	206	11	249	120	
5. Burglary—breaking or entering	912	21	936	292	15	96	303	
6. Larceny— theft (except auto theft)	1,377	12	1,909	741	24	204	520	
7. Auto theft	1,175	9	1,161	352	13	95	153	
Total, Part I Classes	5,727	88	5,815	1,762	176	805	1,583	2.
PART II CLASSES								
8. Other assaults (Return B 1c)	794	71	865	117	25	243	107	
9. Arson	31	1	35	7	1	2	11	
10. Forgery and counterfeiting	31	1	34	13	2	11	2	
11. Fraud	134	11	145	53		12		
12. Embezzlement	1		1			1		
13. Stolen property: buying, receiving, pos- sessing	525	4	529	192	19	73	56	
14. Vandalism	161	29	191	55	7	19	71	
15. Weapons: carrying, possessing, etc.	299	1	300	162	3	30	21	
16. Prostitution and commercialized vice	960	1	961	610	5	39	26	
17. Sex offenses (except 2 and 16)	202	12	214	117	1	15	19	
18. Narcotic drug laws	1,311	9	1,321	777	27	236	106	
19. Gambling	33	7	390	239	7	33	1	
20. Offenses against the family and children	132	13	315	242	2	53		
21. Driving under the influence	331		331	191	36	39	5	
22. Liquor laws	122	13	135	75		16	25	
23. Drunkenness	20,130	1	20,131	19,123		221	153	
24. Disorderly conduct	291	1	295	149	5	24	11	
25. Vagrancy								
26. All other offenses (except traffic)	1,331	76	1,960	715	13	195	726	
Total, Part II Classes	28,531	279	28,790	23,123	131	1,379	1,373	3.
GRAND TOTAL	34,258	417	34,605	24,885	357	2,184	2,961	5.

TABLE VII—Arrests for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

NATURE OF OFFENSE	On Warrants	Without Warrants	Summoned by the Court	Total
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	26	57		83
Negligent manslaughter	5	10	1	16
Rape	13	109	1	153
Robbery	101	529	9	639
Aggravated assault	237	666	12	915
Burglary — breaking and entering	99	813	21	936
Larceny — theft (except auto theft)	253	1,619	32	1,909
Auto theft	26	521	6	553
Other assaults	117	317	71	365
Arson	12	19	1	35
Forgery and counterfeiting	13	68	3	81
Frauds	79	55	11	115
Embezzlement	1			1
Stolen property: buying, receiving, etc.	82	113	1	529
Fraudulism	11	120	29	193
Weapons: carrying, possessing, etc.	13	281	1	300
Prostitution and commercialized vice	27	933	1	961
Sex offenses (except rape and prostitution)	13	159	12	211
Narcotic drug laws	119	1,395	9	1,823
Gambling	130	203	7	390
Offenses against the family and children	302	30	13	345
Driving while intoxicated	7	377		381
Liquor laws	11	111	13	135
Drunkenness	5	20,125	1	20,131
Disorderly conduct	7	281	1	295
Vagrancy				
All other offenses	617	1,239	75	1,931
Parking violations	1			1
Traffic violations	121	1,235	5,002	6,358
Suspicion	2	17		19
Arrests for other departments	1,511	31	1	1,513
Totals	1,717	31,826	5,316	11,919

TABLE VIII Age and Sex of All Persons Arrested, Covering Both Pending and Completed Cases, But Excluding Traffic Arrests, for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

NATURE OF OFFENSE	16 and Under		17-20		21-24		25-29		30-34		35-39		40-44		45-49		50 and Over		Race	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	White	Others
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	2		11	1	13	1	15	3	5	1	5	2	5	1	2		5		41	41
Manslaughter by negligence	1				6		1		2		1				2		1		10	10
Forcible rape	15		35		42		25		15		8		6		1		3		61	92
Robbery	152	11	188	11	99	26	69	12	24	4	26	1	7	1	1		5		197	112
Aggravated assault	111	6	159	13	141	16	160	21	91	15	63	7	41	9	12	2	10	2	373	512
Burglary breaking and entering	298	5	248	6	141	7	97	2	58	4	38	2	20	1	8		10	1	358	458
Larceny theft (except auto theft)	352	168	421	113	109	141	144	55	96	33	95	27	43	24	24	12	45	24	886	1,033
Auto theft	139	6	155	7	109	4	70	1	20		7	2	5		5		3		720	116
Other assaults	45	22	124	14	111	11	155	14	105	1	41	6	40	9	26	2	43	4	454	411
Arson	11		2	1	4		5	1	3		4		2		1		1		20	15
Forgery and counterfeiting	2		14	3	16	8	14	3	4	1	7		1	1	1		1		45	39
Frauds			11	10	16	7	28	6	11	6	14	1	10	4	2		3	5	98	46
Embezzlement																			1	1
Stolen property	55	1	129	13	99	14	77	11	46	2	45	2	20	2	7		15		302	227
Auto larceny	69	2	75	2	24	2	14	1	12	1	6	2	7	1	2		1	4	199	47
Weapons violations	21		64	3	65	3	55	5	28		18		16		2		1	8	154	136
Prostitution and commercialized vice	4	22	102	166	15	364	40	114	16	41	7	15	6	8	4		3		416	615
Sex offenses	19		34		41	12	26		25	4	18	2	10		8		1	16	135	78
Narcotic drug laws	91	15	219	115	449	65	175	20	75	48	62	8	14	14	11	1	6	1	4,407	521
Gambling	1		20		33		54	2	54	5	56	2	45		19		94	4	214	182
Offenses against the family and children			3		55	2	74	2	67	1	54		48	1	25		24		209	152
Driving while intoxicated	5		26		57		62		78	1	45	2	45	2	44	1	44	1	264	150
Liquor laws	25		45	2	8	3	7	3	8		10	4	5		6	2	9		119	16
Drunkennes	142	16	147	48	2,049	148	1,929	179	1,441	111	1,986	167	2,129	182	2,160	150	3,594	271	16,028	4,104
Disorderly conduct	42	12	100	10	66	6	28	4	9	4	9	1	6				4		244	82
Vagrancy																				
Suspicion	1		10	1	11	3	5						1				1		29	19
All other offenses, except traffic and arrests for other departments	771	329	4,704	154	4,744	145	4,577	135	359	42	646	64	481	48	456	41	774	70	4,409	7,961
Totals	2,401	624	5,427	745	5,530	1,047	4,888	572	1,461	428	4,296	345	3,004	284	2,766	222	6,728	487	24,440	17,721

TABLE IX—Ambulance Service by Police District for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

HOSPITAL	1	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	13	14	15	Total
Israel	27	225	654	79	10	10	—	171	435	10	11	31	7	1,486
on City	1,638	1,652	3,655	267	2,411	220	—	1,790	883	1,763	519	78	187	15,093
on Floating	1	7	3	2	70	12	—	41	1	13	6	2	1	131
on Lying-In	14	65	22	6	9	16	—	23	32	16	13	12	5	233
on Sanatorium	4	—	11	2	16	4	—	6	1	—	2	4	—	41
on State	132	64	105	57	88	13	—	105	35	72	9	26	12	828
nton Marine	24	2	37	1	3	7	—	4	—	13	3	7	1	102
ckline Hospital	3	5	—	2	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	—	17
oridge City	—	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	14
ey	13	1,435	5	383	137	1	—	67	1	1,404	27	2	4	3,229
ea Memorial	3	10	9	3	—	3	—	3	—	124	2	2	3	172
lren's	43	378	60	154	62	43	—	137	649	463	238	21	11	4,952
oness	9	11	11	16	5	2	—	—	10	10	9	9	1	95
g Boston Relief	3	—	1	—	—	705	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	710
lner	2	45	5	623	4	2	—	—	40	25	187	3	—	873
side	2	2	1	3	—	4	—	—	—	1	5	5	—	23
hemann	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
ey	1	4	—	—	9	—	—	2	—	4	—	—	—	17
ye	3	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	37	—	49
istrial Clinic	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
h Clinic	—	2	4	4	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	5
more	—	2	5	4	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	1	12
ly Clinic	—	1	3	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
wood	4	4	3	12	2	—	—	—	2	3	16	3	4	47
aten Hospital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	3
achusetts Eye and Ear	24	9	93	9	4	2	—	37	3	9	5	6	13	216
achusetts General	2,307	92	444	78	453	350	4	73	70	177	43	75	728	5,038
achusetts Memorial	19	—	66	1	11	5	—	66	1	—	—	7	—	176
achusetts Mental Health	9	—	46	3	1	—	—	—	35	7	9	43	2	125
achusetts Osteopathic	—	5	2	—	1	—	—	—	4	12	4	5	—	33
on Hospital	—	3	4	16	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	23
Auburn Hospital	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	6
England Baptist	2	1	2	2	—	—	—	2	4	—	1	—	4	12
England Hospital	2	20	4	4	33	4	—	44	6	18	2	—	—	104
ern Mortuary	75	1	2	—	—	4	—	—	14	—	1	63	18	172
er Hill	4	1	17	4	—	2	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	27
Bent Brigham	19	123	120	38	17	9	—	68	792	51	269	33	2	4,594
icians' Offices	4	—	—	2	4	—	—	—	—	6	36	44	—	57
le Station Houses	—	—	5	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	9
Diagnostic	6	3	41	—	3	2	—	44	—	3	—	3	—	12
rt Brigham	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	4
ndale General	—	16	—	13	2	—	—	—	3	5	44	4	—	34
uck	4	6	4	44	5	4	—	—	1	5	4	3	—	33
ers' Home	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3
erville Hospital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	15	16
in End Clinic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0
ern Mortuary	6	25	3	37	—	—	—	4	63	19	4	—	—	163
Elizabeth's	3	7	26	49	2	3	—	2	8	7	12	1,370	2	1,964
Margaret's	6	23	2	12	30	—	—	—	3	54	3	2	—	110
an Square Medical	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	17	19
Naval Hospital	14	1	16	4	44	40	—	30	7	4	2	2	10	133
Veterans Hospital	54	55	68	110	19	16	—	53	53	53	59	11	11	625
ingtonian Hospital	2	—	—	—	2	4	—	4	2	4	—	4	4	44
ilthrop Community	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
en's Free Hospital	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	3	8
nce Refused	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	30	—	46	—	132
lr	38	47	9	35	283	44	—	43	49	66	9	210	39	809
TOTAL	5,001	4,070	5,511	2,093	3,474	1,492	4	2,705	2,973	4,254	1,614	2,690	1,165	37,037

Table X Identification Section Operations

Major Files, December 31, 1969	
Records in main index file	1,370,500
Photographs on file	331,942
Fingerprint records on file	231,647
Five-finger cards on file	31,975
1969 Operational Data	
Photographs	
Arrestees photographed	7,958
Arrestee photographs distributed	75,855
Criminal photographs sent to outside departments	24,158
Crime Scene Operations	
Crime scenes photographed	8,765
Crime scenes investigated for latent prints	7,680
Records	
Requests for criminal records	33,569
Certified criminal records issued	900
Booking numbers issued	33,526
Warrants	
Warrants obtained by Boston Police Department	10,039
Warrants received from outside departments	2,832
Total warrants processed	12,871
Warrants serviced	9,806
Missing Persons and Dead Persons	
Missing persons reported in Boston	1,931
Missing persons reported by other departments	6,130
Dead bodies fingerprinted	175
Dead bodies identified from fingerprints	169
Breathalyzer Operations	
Breathalyzer tests administered	291
Convictions resulting therefrom	152
Not guilty verdicts	55
Cases pending	72
Immediate releases (.05 percent or less)	12

Table XI—Communications Control Division Operations**Telephone Calls Received**

Emergency number, DE 3 1212	100,235
Administrative number, KE6 6700	203,413
Hot-lines	171,935
Special purpose lines	31,365
Outgoing message units	313,519
Outgoing toll calls	12,815

Radio Transmissions

Channel 1—Average daily air time	13 hours
Average daily transmissions	3,700
Total transmissions	1,350,500
Channel 2—Average daily air time	12 hours
Average daily transmissions	3,550
Total transmissions	1,295,750

Teletype System

TWX messages sent	229
Telegrams sent	155
Local teletype items sent	91,312
State teletype items sent	27,669
State teletype items received	126,591

National Crime Information Center (N.C.I.C.)

Records entered	32,436
Inquiries	61,928
Stolen car hits	110
Wanted person hits	22
Stolen firearm hits	16

TABLE XII Crime Laboratory Operations

Homicides	106
Breaking and entering cases	110
Narcotic analyses	13
Armed robbery cases	36
Assault and battery - dangerous weapon cases	35
Sex crimes	22
Hit and run cases	11
Bombs and arson	12
Larceny cases	27
Serial number restorations	25
Miscellaneous cases	22

TABLE XIII Hackney Carriage Unit Operations

Hackney Carriage Licenses

Statutory limit on hackney carriages (Chapter 392, Acts of 1930, as amended)	1,525
Carriage license applications received	1,969
Carriages licensed - renewals	1,521
Carriages licensed - changes in ownership	161
Carriages licensed - regrants	281
Carriage licenses cancelled (In favor of regrants and ownership changes)	111
Carriages licensed, December 31, 1969	1,525
Carriages inspected	1,970

Hackney Carriage Driver Licenses

Applications for driver licenses received	3,931
Applications for driver licenses rejected	302
Driver licenses granted	3,629
Driver license revocations (temporary)	37
Driver licenses rescinded	0
Complaints investigated	312
Articles found and turned in by drivers	468

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